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COUNTY WINS CUP

NODAWAY TEACHERS GET STATE TROPHY AT MEETING

OAKERSON TO COUNCIL

Superintendent of Schools is President of Educational Organization—Normal Banquets 250.

Nodaway county teachers did themselves proud at the fifty-third annual meeting of the Missouri State Teachers association in St. Joseph this week, and won the state trophy for having the highest percentage of members in attendance according to announcement made today. It is a high honor, that only one county in the entire state can secure each year. The percentage of members present was 106.4, which is considered unusually good, although last year St. Charles county won the state prize by a percentage of 117.

The trophy consists of a loving cup of German silver with decorated border and with a fine mahogany base. It was brought back to Maryville at noon today by W. M. Oakerson, county school superintendent, who will probably place it on display at some store for a few days.

Had Most Members Present.

It was given by a St. Louis jewelry firm each year to the county in Missouri which has for three years the highest percentage of members of the state association. In calculating the percentage the number of teachers in a county is taken as a basis. Nodaway county has about 250 teachers, about two-thirds of whom are members of the association.

Another distinction to Nodaway county awarded at the state meeting which closes there today, was the election of Mr. Oakerson to the presidency of the Educational Council, one of the higher auxiliary branches of the association. He succeeds John H. Withers of St. Louis. It has as its primary object the promulgation of new policies and movements in education in the schools of the state.

Normal Alumni Celebrate.

The reception and banquet given by the State Normal School at the hotel Robidoux last night was attended by fully 250, according to Ira Richardson, president, who presided and acted as toast master. The banquet consisted principally of Maryville and Nodaway county residents who had attended the normal.

Addresses following the banquet were made by W. P. Evans, state superintendent of schools, W. G. Hine of Savannah, a member of the board of regents; Howard A. Gass, superintendent of schools elect; W. R. Lowry and R. M. Malone.

A reception preceded the banquet. The parlor of the hotel, where the function was given, was decorated with the normal colors of green and white, and chrysanthemums.

Teachers Return Home.

The next annual meeting of the state association will be held in Kansas City. A. Ross Hill, president of the University of Missouri at Columbia, was elected to the presidency of the association to succeed C. A. Phillips of Warrensburg.

Many of the 250 teachers of this county, who attended the state meeting, returned home on the noon Burlington train. Others will remain over in St. Joseph for today and tomorrow or go to Kansas City for a visit. The public schools have been closed since Wednesday afternoon, to permit the teachers to attend the convention.

HEAR DARLING AT PICKERING

Commercial Club Boosters Attend Lecture as Get Acquainted Idea.

Several automobile loads of Commercial Club boosters, including President Fred H. Hull and Secretary W. R. Jackson, attended the second number of the Pickering high school lecture course. It consisted of an address on "Community Interests" by Nels Darling, of Oklahoma. He is considered an able speaker and is in much demand on the Chautauqua platforms.

The purpose of the trip to Pickering last night, was primarily to get acquainted generally with the residents there and get other towns over the county interested in the "Belgian Relief Fund" movement.

Home From Visit.

Miss Besse Scott and her guest, Miss Gladys Kyser, of Brookfield, have returned home from a three days' visit with friends at Bedford and Lennox, Ia.

GOLD OF '84 TO RESERVE

First National Ships \$9,000 to Federal Bank Under New Law.

After lying unused but still glittering as when issued from the mint, in the vault of the First National Bank since 1884, a shipment of \$9,000 in gold was made today by that financial institution to the new federal reserve bank at Kansas City, which is due to open Monday. The big bundle of United States coins were expressed out of the city this morning just as any ordinary package and except for the exceptional weight it would have been difficult to have told that much value was concealed within.

It represented the second payment the local bank has made under the new federal law, the initial deposit having been made November 2. At that time but \$1,200 was sent in. The whole is as required by the new law, in that each bank wishing to become a member of the reserve system, must pay in or keep in reserve, at least six per cent of the total deposits and capital combined. Of this amount one-sixth has to be made immediately upon the establishment of the reserve banks, one-sixth within three months thereafter, another one-sixth within six months and the remaining half to be kept in the vault of the bank itself.

The First National as a member of reserve district No. 10, at Kansas City, is to subscribe a total of \$7,200. In addition to this, a certain percentage of the demand and time deposits in the bank, also must be placed with the reserve institution. This is represented by part of the \$9,000 sent off today.

LANDMARK TORN DOWN.

Elevator at Skidmore, Built Three Years After That Town Was Laid Out, is Taken Down.

One of the old landmarks of Skidmore, perhaps the oldest building in town, is being torn down, says the Skidmore News Era.

The grain elevator, now owned by Edward Bosley, is being wrecked by the Burlington railway and removed from the company's right of way.

This building was erected in 1883, just three years after the town was laid out. It was built and run by Edward Nash, who afterward sold it to Henry Huffman, who in turn sold it to L. F. Hammond and Wesley Clark. About eighteen years ago Edward Bosley purchased it and has owned it ever since.

The first twenty or twenty-five years of its existence it did a tremendous business. In the winter time teams hauling corn were unloading at the dumps from before daylight to long after dark. For hours during the busy season there would be from fifteen to twenty teams in line waiting to weigh and dump their loads, but the day of selling corn in Nodaway county is past, and the grain elevators went with them.

Last year there were thousands of bushels of corn shipped to Skidmore. To be sure there is a large quantity of wheat shipped from Skidmore, but this does not require the necessity of a large elevator.

This elevator stood on the railroad right of way and the company asked for its removal, hence the wreckage.

TRY TO RECOVER TEN HORSES

Elmo Farmers Sue Maryville Firm for Return of Property.

A replevin suit to recover ten head of horses which it is charged had been seized recently without due process of law, was filed with Eugene Rathbun, clerk of the circuit court this morning by Hamilton Brothers of near Elmo against Sewell & Carter of this city. The plaintiffs are George Hamilton and J. E. Hamilton.

Former Resident Is Convicted.

Clyde Gardner who until about one year ago lived with his family in Burlington Junction, was found guilty of adultery in the circuit court at Creston Iowa, yesterday afternoon. The jury deliberated but an hour. Gardner was arrested several weeks ago on complaint of Mrs. Gardner, whom he deserted. She still resides at Burlington Junction.

Improve Bell Grove School.

The children of the Bell Grove school, south of Maryville, spent a vacation time yesterday afternoon in cleaning and beautifying the school yard and building. The hedges were trimmed, trees pruned and every part of the property put in nice shape for the winter season. The school is taught by Miss Ruby Ruddell of this city.

On Nebraska Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mutz left this morning for Auburn and Plattsmouth, Neb., to spend several weeks visiting relatives.

HAD MANY NOTES

W. H. LARABEE, OWING \$10,000, EVADES CREDITORS, REPORTED

ATTACH HIS PROPERTY

Farm of 77 Acres and Personal Holdings Are Seized by Those Holding Promissory Paper.

With approximately \$10,500 owed in several promissory notes given to Nodaway county and Iowa bankers and business men, W. H. Larabee, who operates a 77-acre farm several miles northwest of Elmo, in Lincoln township, is missing while the creditors look in vain for their quarry. Some of the creditors have however attached the farm and personal property, though his entire holdings are said to be insufficient to cover all notes.

That Larabee did considerable "plunging" for having such a small amount of visible property, is the consensus of opinion of the creditors now. Whether, however, he has holdings elsewhere that would cover all the notes, is not known, although it is believed he has not.

Larabee is said to have left his home and family last Monday, but where he went is not known. Mrs. Larabee, who with the seven small children, now are staying with her parents close by, says she does not know where her husband is nor why he left.

The largest note, said to have been given by Larabee, is held by the College Springs Savings Bank of College Springs, Iowa. It is for \$3,700. Other notes are held by Hamilton Brothers of Elmo for \$625, First National Bank of Shenandoah, Iowa, for \$1,250, S. H. Kemp for \$1,600 and the Interstate Savings Bank of Blanchard, Iowa, for \$1,000.

Some of the security for these notes is said to be "invisible," although a greater percentage is on the farm and personal property which consists of live stock, farm implements and household goods.

The Shenandoah bank filed suit here this week to recover on the \$1,250 note. It was given last April for six months time.

To Attend Convention.

Miss Grace Langan, city librarian left this morning for Sedalia to attend the meeting of the State Library Association. Before returning Miss Langan will visit friends at Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hann, and Dr. and Mrs. Evans of Burlington Junction, spent today in the city.

Sunday Services at the First Methodist Church

Sermon 10:45—subject "A New Covenant". Anthem "The Lord Reigneth". Frey. Sermon 7:30—subject "A Fool's Conclusion". Anthem "Like As A Father". Lansing. Duet, baritone and alto, "An Evening Song". Lansing.

Half Entire Population of St. Paul at Service on Go to Church Sunday

GO TO CHURCH!

In every village, hamlet, town and city in the United States the cry is heard. Many have had their GO TO CHURCH Sundays already. The reports are very encouraging. About half of St. Paul went to service on one particular Sunday. The pastors unreservedly pronounced the results BEYOND THEIR EXPECTATIONS. As one pastor described the scene at their church, every man, woman and child in his congregation seemed to have made a special effort to get to church. Other pastors told of enthusiastic responses of persons who had not attended church in years at the end of the service, declaring that "this doesn't mean only once. I'll be here next Sunday too."

WITH FEW EXCEPTIONS THE CHURCHES THROUGHOUT THE CITY WERE FILLED TO CAPACITY, AND MANY WERE OVERCROWDED. SUNDAY SCHOOL ROOMS LONG UNUSED AT SUCH A TIME WERE THROWN OPEN TO CARE FOR THE OVERFLOW IN MANY CHURCHES. THE LARGEST ATTENDANCES WERE AT THE MORNING SERVICES. AT THE KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH THREE MEMBERS OF THE CHURCH WERE UNABLE TO FIND SEATS. THEY RETIRED TO THE BASEMENT, WHERE, SEATED ON THE EDGE OF THE COAL BIN AND BOXES, THEY HEARD THE SERMON BY THE REV. B. S. BATES.

Grandma Seymour, ninety-five years old, probably was one of the oldest persons who answered the appeal. She attended the morning service at the First Baptist church. She lives at the Home of the Friendless, 469 Collins street. When the GO TO CHURCH call was first issued Mrs. Seymour grieved because she thought she could not be one of the thousands. The Quest Bible class of women of the First Baptist church Sunday school, learning her desire, sent a carriage for her. Accompanied by Mrs. Parr, eighty-four years old, she made the trip without difficulty and was happy.

GO TO CHURCH!

RELIEF SUM GROWS

OFFERINGS TO BELGIANS COME VOLUNTARILY.

CHURCHES MAY GIVE

Campaign for Car of Nodaway County Flour Spreads—Suggest "Tag Day" and "Buy-a-Bale" Plans

The campaign for a car of Nodaway county flour for the relief of the hungry war-stricken Belgians, continues and with each passing hour the fund slowly grows. If the plan of the relief committee to buy a car load, carries aught, it will mean the feeding of 600 destitute people of the Flanders land for three months, according to workers in the movement.

While no canvassing or soliciting is to be carried on by the relief fund committee, of which Paul Sisson is chairman, the movement probably will be announced voluntarily in the various churches tomorrow, it is said, and in the public schools and the state normal school Monday. No personal appeal is to be made except in this manner.

Local leaders in the campaign express the belief that the necessary amount to buy the car of flour, can be secured readily enough without making any special appeal. However, as the cargo of food supplies for the hungry Belgians sails from Philadelphia early next month, steps may be taken next week, it is said to rush forward the funds that the flour may be shipped from here in ample time for it to reach the eastern port before the ship sails.

May "Buy-a-Sack."

One enthusiastic worker has suggested a "buy-a-sack" appeal, on the order of the country-wide cotton selling movement, which has been taken up so readily this fall. He recommended that persons who could, should buy a forty-eight pound sack of flour and give it, instead of the cash, to the relief committee. It is believed however that direct contributions of money would go farther as the flour, it is argued, can be purchased more cheaply by car load lot.

Mayor U. S. Wright has expressed hearty approval of the Belgian relief plan and gave \$10 to the cause. He said no objection would be made by the city officials if the relief committee cared to conduct a "tag day" here to secure funds for the Belgians. This is not believed to be necessary by the committee, judging from the hearty

approval which has so far been shown. While it is too soon after the first appeal, to determine whether the relief will be country-wide, it is believed many individual contributions will come in from over Nodaway county by Monday.

SINGER PLEASES AUDIENCE

Miss Kinzel in Excellent Repertoire at First M. E. Church Last Night.

In a program which elicited only the highest and most genuine praises, Miss Bertha Kinzel, soprano, sang before an audience of about 120 persons at the First Methodist church last night.

An added interest was given to the appearance of Miss Kinzel because she is a former St. Joseph girl and is known to people in Maryville who have followed her career with interest. With a soprano voice of exquisite tone and effective range, Miss Kinzel possesses a personality and a charm of manner and face that instantly takes the fancy of her audience. Her voice shows the most perfect of training and control, and her interpretation was distinguished by a rare intelligence and spontaneity. Her repertoire last night included French, German, Italian and English selections. Every number pleased and applause was so marked and enthusiastic that Miss Kinzel responded to several encores. Some of her especially pleasing numbers were, "Niemand Hat's Gesehn," Loewe and a group of songs which included "Spirited Flower," Campbell-Tipton; "Fairly Pipes," Brewer; and "Yesterday and Today," Spross.

She was accompanied by Prof. H. B. Shuler and the song program was varied with organ numbers by Prof. P. O. Landon. The concert was given for the benefit of the Order of Eastern Star.

FILE ANOTHER LARABEE SUIT

Iowa Bank Would Seize Horses in Lieu of \$3,772 Note by "Plunger."

Another chapter to the plunge in high finance, taken the past half-year by W. H. Larabee, a farmer who lives northwest of Elmo, was added with the filing of a suit this morning in circuit court for the possession of ten head of horses as security for a note of \$3,772.18. The suit was filed by W. S. Farquhar of the Farquhar Savings bank of College Springs, Iowa, against Hamilton Brothers of Elmo.

The plaintiffs claim that Larabee and his wife, Myrtle Larabee, gave a promissory note for \$3,772.18 April 22, last, with ten head of horses as security in the chattel mortgage. The note is due March 1, 1915.

It is said Larabee soon afterwards sold the horses to George Hamilton and J. E. Hamilton, which constitutes the firm of Hamilton Brothers, Sewell & Carter of this city, subsequently seized the horses from the Hamilton Brothers. Now Hamilton Brothers have filed suit for the recovery of the horses from Sewell & Carter and the Iowa bank has sued Hamilton Brothers for the recovery of the same stock.

The Iowa banker likewise asks for \$625.25 in lieu of the horses, if they are not returned, in addition to \$500 damages through the alleged unlawful act of the defendants.

Appoint Caldwell Curator.

John D. Caldwell, of Clearmont, was appointed Curator by Probate Judge William H. Conn late yesterday afternoon, of the estate of the late John H. Caldwell who died at his farm home south of Clearmont recently, to which the minor Caldwell children are rightful heirs. They are Elizabeth M., 13 years old and Clark H. Caldwell, 8 years old.

Burlington Couple Wed.

John Niday, 24 years old, and Miss Alma Malnes, 21 years old, of Burlington Junction, were married by Probate Judge W. H. Conn at 1 o'clock this afternoon. A license to marry had previously been granted them in the office of recorder of deeds.

Dan Baker Spends \$138.50.

According to a statement filed with County Clerk George W. Demott yesterday afternoon, Dan R. Baker, successful Democratic candidate for recorder of deeds, spent \$138.50 in the campaign proceeding the election.

Moves Reading Room.

The Christian Science reading room has been moved from the church building at 206 South Main, to a room in the Michau building over the Townsend grocery store.

Goes to St. Joseph.

Miss Louise McCann of Conception Junction was in Maryville yesterday morning en route to St. Joseph to attend the meeting of the State Teachers' association.

TURKS IN REVOLT

SULTAN'S SOLDIERS ARE DISSATISFIED OVER WAR'S OUTCOME

BOMB KILLS GERMANS

Intended Charge for "Man Who Sold Turkey to Kaiser;" Misses Mark, Slaying Teutonic Officers.

London, Nov. 14.—A revolt is now in progress in the Constantinople and Adrianople garrisons of Turkish soldiers, according to a dispatch to the Daily News from Petrograd. The message was routed from Bucharest.

Constantinople, Nov. 14.—Five German army and navy officers were killed by an exploding bomb at the palace of Enver Bey, Turkish war minister, and leader of the young Turkish party. Enver Bey was not injured. A letter found nearby said the bomb was intended "for the man who sold Turkey to Germany."

London, Nov. 14.—It is alleged the Germans lost 80,000 men in the retreat to Thorn and Oppeln after severe fighting against the allies' forces along the northern boundary of France. Oppeln, which is fifty miles southeast of Breslau is the base of the new defense lines.

Vienna, Nov. 14.—It is officially announced that the Russians have occupied Tarnow, Jaslo and Krasno, three towns in Galicia.

VILLA STOPS FIGHTING IN MEXICO FOR A WEEK.

Vera Cruz (Nov. 14).—General Villa has agreed to suspend hostilities against the Constitutionalists until next Friday, November 20. It is believed some peace agreement can be arranged between the warring factions by that time. The announcement of the evacuation of this port, November 23 by the United States troops, was received here today with joy, yet uneasiness to some.

NORMAL CLASS STUDIES WAR

History Students Follow Events Then Revise European Maps, Accordingly

Making over the map of Europe is one of the tasks that is engaging the history classes at the Maryville State Normal School these classes following the progress of events and redrawing the maps as the battles are waged and victories won. The classes are not following the dispatches which give the victory to the allies one day, to the Germans the next, and denies any victory at the third but are reading the more deliberate reports of the magazines and reviews, and the articles by the special writers.

Along with the study of the geography which the war classes have in hand, there is always the study of imports and commercial relations of this country with Europe, and the study of governmental forms. The class started right out at the beginning of the war and is keeping right up with the progress of history in the making.

The Normal is now engaged in intensive cultivation, according to Ira Richardson, the president. Intensive cultivation of itself. It is becoming substantial, crystallizing the growth that has been made heretofore, getting matters systematized, and preparing to do some rapid advancing a little later.

Guests of the Stewarts.

Mrs. S. A. Roach and son, Gordon, and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch and children Stewart and Virginia, of aBnard, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday.

LILLIAN WALKER

IN THE LILY OF THE VALLEY IN TWO PARTS. THE RISING TIDE AND SLIPPING SLIM.

FERN THEATRE TONIGHT

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Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months.

CORN HUSKING IS NOW ON

Yield Prices Are Good, But Recent Wet Weather Injured Product

Corn husking has begun in earnest over Nodaway county this week. Nearly every farmer has begun the task, which with such weather, is really considered pleasant. While much of the corn is down, on account of flood water in the low lands and the extreme rainfall and windstorms of late summer and early fall, the yield is said to be good in most instances.

Eugene Rathbun, clerk of the circuit court, who operates a farm a few miles from the city, said this morning his corn would average fifty bushels to the acre. This can be given as the usual average, however, as part of the Rathbun yield comes from bottom land while the upland is above the average in productiveness.

Some fields are said to be "go in" sixty bushels to the acre, however, while some report as poor yield as twenty bushels. The general average over the county is believed to range at thirty bushels.

The thump, thump, thump of the big white and yellow ears against the "buck" board of the garnerer's wagon, is heard from many corn fields. From early morning to late evening, the steady stripping of the grain husks goes on.

Prices for the product hold up well the priced corn ranging on the markets between 65 and 70 cents, although this is a few cents above the local prices being received by marketers.

No records are being made in corn husking, as in former years, on account of the condition in which the corn and stalks are, as a result of the wet weather and storms. In many cases the stalks have broken, leaving the ears on the wet ground to sprout and rot.

Called Here by Brother's Illness

Mrs. Joseph Markley, of St. Louis, Mrs. Sloan Wible of St. Joseph, Mrs. E. E. Coker, of Pickering, and George Ewing, of Hopkins, were called to Maryville yesterday by the serious illness of their brother, Frank Ewing. A nephew, Frank Wible, of St. Louis, also came to Maryville yesterday.

His Objection.

The Bachelor—Marriage is a game of chance. The Married Man—And you have conscientious scruples against gambling? The Bachelor—Not exactly, but I have against drawing a booby prize.—Philadelphia Record.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any one who can cure a case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
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NAT. BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, Ohio.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

TO EVACUATE VERA CRUZ NOV. 23

Bryan Announces U. S. Forces Will Leave Mexico.

FULL GUARANTEES ARE GIVEN.

Both Carranza and Aguas Calientes Convention Have Granted Assurances Demanded by Washington. Priests and Nuns Have Left.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Monday, Nov. 23, was fixed as the date for the evacuation of Vera Cruz by the American forces.

Secretary Bryan issued this announcement:

"Both General Carranza and the convention at Aguas Calientes having given the assurances and guarantees we requested, it is the purpose of the administration to withdraw the troops of the United States from Vera Cruz on Monday, the 23d of November. "All the persons there for whose personal safety this government has made itself responsible, have left the city. The priests and nuns, who had taken refuge there, and for whose safety fears were entertained, are now on their way to this country."

Surprise in Some Quarters.

This statement was given out after a long conference between Mr. Bryan and President Wilson. It apparently was received with surprise in some official quarters. The general understanding has been that the evacuation might be delayed indefinitely, pending reports upon the alignment of the various Mexican chiefs in the latest civil war now in progress.

Secretary Bryan declined to add to the formal announcement, saying details would be made public by the war department. Secretary Garrison had nothing to say, and to just what authority the port of Vera Cruz would be delivered was not made plain. It has been assumed, however, that as the United States, throughout the Mexican difficulties, has dealt with the authority is actually in control of territory involved, the city would be turned over to an agent of General Carranza, probably General Candido Aguilar, commanding the Constitutional forces in the state of Vera Cruz.

No Decision as to Money. As far as is known there has been no final decision as to when and whom the more than a million dollars of Mexican customs money now held by the United States shall be paid. Both Carranza and the Aguas Calientes convention have given guarantees that customs duties collected at Vera Cruz will not be reimposed. In view of the complications which might arise, however, in the event Carranza were driven from power by Villa's army supporting General Gutierrez, the convention's new provisional president, it has been suggested that payment of the money might be withheld pending a clarification of the situation.

Mr. Bryan's statement gave the first news of the removal of the priests and nuns from Vera Cruz. With their departure the only persons, other than soldiers, marines and officials left in the Mexican port with a claim upon the United States for personal protection, are Mexicans who have been in the employ of the Americans. Assurances that these men would not be punished was one of the conditions of evacuation, to which both the warring factions agreed.

Five army transports are waiting at Vera Cruz to bring away the troops, and Brigadier General Funston has reported that the evacuation can be completed within forty-eight hours after the order is given. The garrison numbers about 8,500 men, including the First brigade of infantry and marines.

General Villa's already has taken the offensive against General Carranza, according to official advices reaching the United States government.

Villa's plan of campaign, the first stroke of which was accomplished in the occupation of the city of San Luis Potosi, calls for an immediate attack on Tampico, second in importance to Vera Cruz as a seaport, and base from which munitions of war can be imported.

In preparations for the attack the Washington government already is getting ready to take American refugees aboard ships lying in the Panuco river.

SUFFS FOR ANY AMENDMENT

Convention Decides It Will Not Support Just One Measure.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 14.—By a vote of almost two to one, the convention of the National American Woman Suffrage association here decided that its work before congress during the coming year shall not be limited to efforts for the passage of the Bristow-Mondell suffrage amendment to the federal constitution. At an earlier session the convention declared by a decisive majority that its congressional committee shall not conduct campaigns against candidates in any state without consent of suffrage associations in that state.

The action of the association on these matters settled two of the most important questions before the convention. Each had given rise to much division of opinion among suffragists during the last few months and each has a significant bearing on plans for next year's campaign.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

206 South Main street.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, subject of lesson sermon, "Mortals and Immortals." No Sunday evening service, Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock. Reading room in the Michau building open each afternoon from 2 till 5 o'clock. Every one invited.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church.

Rev. John H. Hubbard, pastor.

We will have our usual services tomorrow. Subject at the 10:45 o'clock morning service, "What We Read and Its Importance on Our Lives." The usual services at night. Special music at both services. A warm welcome is extended to the stranger within our gates.

First Methodist Church.

Main and First street, Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Morning worship at 10:45 o'clock with sermon by the pastor, subject, "A New Covenant." Anthem, "The Lord Reigneth." Frey. Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock, sermon subject "A Fool's Conclusion." Anthem, "Like as a Father," Lansing. Duet, baritone and alto, "An Evening Song," Lansing.

First Christian Church.

Robert L. Finch, Minister.

At the morning preaching hour the minister will give the second of the series of sermons with the great fundamentals of the Christian religion. Subject: "The Meaning of Christ." Evening subject: "The Prodigal." Special music at both services by the choir under the direction of Dr. D. J. Thomas.

Bible school at 9:30. Be on time. Bring a friend. Get ready for the Thanksgiving home coming services by attending all the services tomorrow. Your welcome awaits you. Christian Endeavor meetings at 6:30. All members take notice.

First Baptist Church.

Market and Jenkins, Lewis M. Hale, pastor.

Can anyone find a better place to spend one hour, 9:30 to 10:30 a. m., on each Sabbath morning than in the Bible school? Here you find comfort, good-fellowship and an open discussion of the truth of God's book. Try it tomorrow morning and see if you do not enjoy it.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon subject, "The Call of Approaching Night." Solo by Mrs. Westbrook.

B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m., subject, "What Every Christian Ought to Know." The leaders are Mollie Henderson and Dorothy McDonald.

Evening worship 7:30. Sermon subject, "The Folly of Resisting God." This is strictly a people's service, with songs that everybody can sing. Our welcome awaits you.

First Presbyterian Church.

Main and Jenkins, Samuel D. Harkness, pastor.

Tomorrow's program of worship and service is as follows—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning service at 11 o'clock. The pastor will preach on "The Grip of Christ's Love." At 2:45 p. m., the "Sociability Run" to the Rockford church will take place. The pastor will preach there at 3:30 o'clock. At 6:30 p. m., the Young People's Club will have a debate. The question is "Resolved, that in the interest of peace we should increase our army and navy." Affirmative, Joseph Farmer and Martin Lewis, Jr. Negative, Harley Hughes and Harry Holmes. This is a live topic just now, and a good crowd is expected. At 7:30 p. m., our Men's Club will hold a missionary service. Mr. Gilliam will preside. Mr. Richey will read the scripture and Mr. Hutchison will offer prayer. Two addresses will then be given. Professor Swinehart of the Normal will speak on "The European War and Missions." Mr. George W. Denott will then speak on "The Relation of Money to the Kingdom." We have churches of all faiths in Maryville. We worship the one Lord and are traveling toward the same goal. Find a place in one of our churches tomorrow.

To Winter In Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Herron of West Third street will leave Tuesday morning for Palestine, Texas, to spend the winter months. While there they will visit Mrs. Herron's sister, Mrs. Sarah White. During their absence, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wray will occupy the Herron cottage.

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HUMANS MAY GET DISEASE

Quarantine and Pasteurization, However, Experts Say, Lessens Danger From Cattle Ailment

The anxiety that has been expressed in several quarters in regard to the effect upon human health of the present outbreak of the foot-and-mouth disease is regarded by government authorities as somewhat exaggerated. The most common fear is that the milk supply might become contaminated, but in view of the precautions that the local authorities in the infected areas are very generally taking, there is comparatively little danger of this.

Milk from infected farms is not permitted to be shipped at all. The only danger is, therefore, that before the disease has manifested itself some infected milk might reach the market. For this reason, experts in the U. S. department of Agriculture recommend pasteurization. As a matter of fact, however, pasteurization is recommended by the department anyway for all milk that is not very high grade and from tuberculin tested cows.

It has been demonstrated by experiments which have been made in Denmark and Germany that pasteurization will serve as a safeguard against contagion from the foot-and-mouth disease just as readily as it does against typhoid fever, but in any event it must be thoroughly done—the milk must be heated to 145 degrees Fahrenheit and held at this temperature for 30 minutes.

Is Rare Disease Here.

In this country the foot-and-mouth disease has been so rare that there are few recorded cases of its transmission to human beings. In 1902 a few cases were reported in New England, and in 1908 in a few instances eruptions were found in the mouths of children which were believed to have been caused by contaminated milk. In both these outbreaks, the sale of milk was stopped as soon as the disease was found among the cattle.

As long, therefore, as the disease can be confined by rigid quarantine to certain specified areas, the danger from this source is very small. Should the pestilence spread all over this country and become as general as it has been at various times in large areas in Europe, the problem would become more serious. Under any circumstances, however, pasteurization would be an efficient remedy. Where pasteurization is not possible, and where there is any reason to suspect that the disease may exist, the precaution of boiling milk might be advisable.

Cows affected with the malignant form of the disease lose practically all of their milk. In mild cases, however the decrease may be from one-third to one-half of the usual yield. The appearance of the milk also changes. It becomes thinner, bluish, and poor in fat. When the udder is affected, the milk frequently contains coagulated fibrin and blood, so that a considerable sediment forms, while the cream is thin and of a dirty color. These changes, however, occur only when the disease is in an advanced stage and, as a matter of fact, the disease is not permitted to pass into an advanced stage, as any stricken animal is at once slaughtered.

Humans May Become Infected.

Men who come in contact with diseased animals may also become infected. In adult human beings the contagion causes such symptoms as sore mouths, painful swallowing, fever and occasional eruptions on the hands or finger tips. While causing considerable discomfort, however, the disease is rarely serious. Where it is very prevalent among animals, some

authorities believe it is fairly general among human beings, but that the disturbances it causes are generally so slight that they are not brought to the attention of the family physician.

There is, however, a very good reason for everyone giving the diseased animals as wide a berth as possible, namely, that otherwise they may easily carry the disease to perfectly healthy herds. Federal inspectors engaged in the work of eradicating the pestilence are thoroughly equipped with rubber coats, hats, boots and gloves, which may be completely disinfected; and others who lack this equipment are strongly urged not to allow their curiosity to induce them to become a menace to their own and their neighbors' property.

The disease, in short, is dangerous because of the loss that it occasions to property, and not because of its effects upon the health of mankind. At present all infected herds are being slaughtered as soon as they are discovered, the carcasses buried, and the premises thoroughly disinfected. Until all danger of infection has been removed in this way, the local authorities quarantine the milk.

Miss Mattie Moore, of St. Joseph, will come to Maryville this evening to spend the day Sunday visiting her nephew, Will P. Masters and family and her niece, Miss Frankie Masters.

Meteors in the Sky Tonight.

If the sky is clear tonight meteors may be seen in the northerly heavens, according to weather forecasters. It is an annual occurrence and marks the yearly revolution of the earth through a disc of meteoric dust. A few could also be seen in the skies last night, though not so prolific as they were last year.

FOR SALE—R. C. Rhode Island Red Cockerels, 85 cents each; Old hens, 65 cents; Pullets, 50 cents; if taken before Thanksgiving. MRS. J. J. BARR, R. 7 Han. 2-F. 14-15.

Changes Residence.

Mr. and Mrs. John Awalt and family moved yesterday from the residence at 309 West Eighth street, to the one at the corner of West Fourth and Walnut streets.

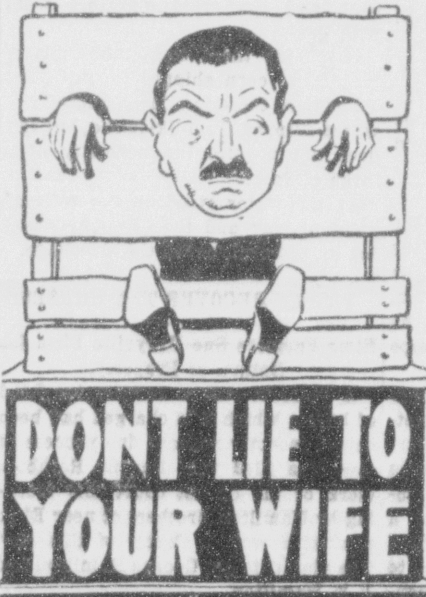
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Mrs. Milam Aikire, of Stanberry, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Aikire, of East First street.

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Arts and Crafts to Meet.

The Arts and Crafts department of the Twentieth Century Club will meet at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Allender.

Theater Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller and daughter, Miss Edna, and Luther Strickler, of Boicow, motored to Maryville Wednesday evening in the Miller car to see Sarah Padden in "The Little Shepherd of Bargain Row" at the Empire theatre.

To Give Tacky Party.

The senior Christian Endeavor Society of the First Christian church will give a "tacky party" Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lyle Finch. All young people of the church are included in the invitations.

Roseberry's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Beal Roseberry gave a dinner last evening entertaining a party of guests who were Mr. and Mrs. Newton Hagins and son, Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egley and son, Loren, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Frank and daughter, Eva Margaret.

Wedding Invitations Issued.

Invitations have been issued to the marriage of Miss Eleanor Marie Sawyers, the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Sawyers, of Savannah, to Mr. Earl Zimmerman, which takes place at Savannah next Wednesday. The bride to be has a large circle of friends in this city. She is a niece of John K. W. G., and Robert Sawyers and of Mrs. T. M. C. Neff, Mrs. John Snider, Mrs. Lawrence Gault and Miss Elizabeth Sawyers. A number of the Maryville relatives will attend the wedding.

Initiate New Members.

The Woodmen Circle met last night in regular session and after a short business meeting, six new members were taken in. They were Mrs. James Murray, Mrs. W. R. Tilson, Miss Marie Murray, Chester Bennett, Frank Wallace and Arlie Robey. Plans were made for a masquerade social to be given at the W. O. W. hall next Monday night. Prizes will be given to the best costumed couple, for the most fanciful costume and for the most grotesque costume. A luncheon will be served and various features of entertainment provided.

Mr. and Mrs. Crossan Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Crossan will give a dinner tomorrow noon at their home, 710 North Walnut street at which plates will be laid for Rev. and Mrs. Robert L. Finch, and son, Robert Jr., Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Roseberry and daughter, Esther, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Frank and daughter, Eva Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Halbert Catterson and children, Miriam and Halbert Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Crossan and daughter, Lora May.

Mrs. Hull Hostess.

Mrs. C. E. Hull entertained the C. W. B. M. of the Christian church of Pickering at her home Thursday afternoon. Mrs. E. W. Killion acted as leader. The program included a piano number by Miss Irene Burk, a vocal solo by Miss Eugenia Hull, reading by Miss Myrtle Null, and short talks on missions by various ones of the society. Several interesting missionary letters were also read. A luncheon was enjoyed at the close of the afternoon. Mrs. C. R. Harmon and Miss Edith Pfeiffer assisting the hostess. The December meeting will be with Mrs. Joseph Pfeiffer.

Mrs. Ward Complimented.

Mrs. W. B. Ward, of Skidmore, was honored by a surprise dinner party yesterday noon, arranged to celebrate her sixty eighth birthday anniversary. Dinner was served at noon, the guests including Mrs. Mary Garnett and family, Mr. and Mrs. Al Long and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Appleby and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Appleby and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hays Ruddell, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ruddell and family, of Fairfax, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long.

An Elephant Bridge.

In ancient times in India a famous general used elephants to bridge a stream. He possessed a battalion of over 500 elephants, and, approaching a river where the stream was too rapid for his troops to cross, he ordered the elephants in and had them placed side by side, facing up and down the stream. Then planks were brought and laid from the back of one elephant to that of another, and over them the troops passed in safety, the only trouble experienced being the showers of water which the elephants kept up by sucking up the refreshing liquid in their trunks and tossing it over their bodies.

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GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS.

Leader of the Victorious
Russian Advance on
The German Frontier.



Photo by American Press Association.

PASS MILES OF BELGIANS' GRAVES

American Relief Party Staggered
by Sights of Desolation.

London, Nov. 14.—Jarvis F. Bell of New York, who on behalf of the American commission for relief in Belgium, assisted in the distribution of the first cargo of relief supplies sent to the Belgians, gives a description of conditions in the stricken country. Mr. Bell said:

"Nothing that has been written could exaggerate the misery of Belgium. We drove for miles through grave yards. Stakes, on some of which were soldiers' tattered coats and helmets, were the tombstones—deserted fields are cemeteries. As we entered the villages women and children sought refuge in the ruins of roofless homes, terrified lest we were some fresh visitation of war. Their faces were drawn and lined, and if you could only see the gruesome surroundings in which they are struggling for existence, you would not wonder that they fall to smile.

"The Belgian peasant has in many districts no home in which to sleep, no seed to sow, no implements with which to work, no transport to reach a market, and, finally, no heart to struggle against the inevitable. It is unbelievable that war ever produced such a complete and tragic paralysis as we saw in many parts of Belgium. It cannot be attributed to lack of courage on the part of the civilian population, or to the inhumanity of the conqueror. It is simply war up to date; civilized Christian war."

GERMANS OUT OF DIXMUDE

London Correspondent Says Teutons
Driven From City.

London, Nov. 14.—The correspondent of the Central News in the north of France telegraphs that the Germans have been driven out of Dixmude.

"The Germans," the correspondent says, "had not long in which to congratulate themselves on their seizure of the mass of ruins which once was the ill-starred town of Dixmude. They were sprayed with shrapnel and high explosive shells until extermination threatened them.

"The appearance of French marines in a bayonet charge rapidly convinced them that the death rate would be too high if they remained. Hence, Dixmude is ours again.

"The Germans have made a slight advance against Ypres, but it is doubtful if they hold the village of Stelot.

"At La Bassée the Germans are attempting to drive a wedge into the allied line by a concentrated heavy gun fire. There has been a considerable bulge in the line here for some time, but the allies hold their positions on either flank."

SHELLS LEVEL CITIES

Buildings Tumble as Battle Rages
From Dixmude to Arras.

Northern France, Nov. 14.—The battle still rages from Dixmude to Arras. Churches topple down and factories burn with every fresh explosion of a shell. No tower which might be used for observation is allowed to stand. Explosive shells are fired at these observation points and incendiary bombs are dropped on factories.

The nature of the fighting is still critical. The aeroplanes are utterly unable to face the westerly gales which have followed the period of mist that made them almost useless and helped the attacking force to conceal its place of concentration. At the same time the armies in general come nearer to one another than at any previous period.

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\$20.00 Garments now	14.50
\$19.00 Garments now	13.95
\$15.00 Garments now	11.00
\$12.50 Garments now	9.00
\$10.00 Garments now	6.98
\$ 8.50 Garments now	6.35
\$ 7.50 Garments now	5.50
\$ 6.50 Garments now	4.98
\$ 5.00 Garments now	3.80
\$ 4.50 Garments now	3.45
\$ 4.00 Garments now	2.98
\$ 3.50 Garments now	2.70
\$ 3.00 Garments now	2.10
\$ 2.50 Garments now	1.90
\$ 2.00 Garments now	1.49
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\$ 1.25 Garments now	.95

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\$20.00 9x12 Velvet Rugs for	16.50
\$18.50 9x12 Axminster Rugs for	15.50
\$15.00 9x12 Seamless Tapestry Rugs for	12.25
\$12.50 9x12 Seamless Tapestry Rugs for	10.00

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40c Scrims plain a yard	29c

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NO ALUM IN ROYAL BAKING POWDER

"America" Film Showing Postponed.

The production of America announced for next Thursday night, November 19, at the Fern theater has been postponed until Monday night, November 23. The play reproduces the great Klau & Erlange show as given in the Hippodrome in New York, and is a fascinating film. The reel is shown at Oklahoma City on the night of November 18, and to avoid any possibility of disappointment the date for the showing here has been changed to a later date.

Nodaway Yields Few Ducks.

Almost any hour of the day now Burlington Junction nimbros can be seen going towards the river with their trusty "pumps" over their shoulders. And almost any hour of the evening you can see them returning—duckless. For mallards, springs and other large ducks have been scarce this fall and only a few of them have been bagged along the Nodaway river.—Burlington Junction Post.

To Visit at Parnell.

Miss Inez Hall, a Conservatory student, left Thursday night for Parnell to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall. She was accompanied by Carlos Yehle, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Yehle, who will visit at the Hall home.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Pork Brings 8 Cents.

A load of 195 pound hogs were sold on the St. Joseph market yesterday at \$7.90 a hundred by V. L. Chambers, a stock raiser of this county. This is considered an unusually good price at present. Other Nodaway county farmers who had stock on the market yesterday were. William Fryar, Will N. Wray, R. L. Carrin, J. McKee, Van Sickle & Co., G. T. Grady, C. T. Ruscoe & Son, Sheley & Lowrey, Chambers & Co., I. W. Coler, Goff & Co., E. F. Steeley, Guyett & Kester, C. D. Bailey and J. D. Winger.

Visitors Return Home.

George E. Bailey, of Rock Island, Ill., and Mrs. Sadie Van Horn, of Cotter, Iowa, who had been visiting at the home of their brother, W. A. Bailey left yesterday for their home.

Home From Kansas City.

Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar and daughter, Mildred, will return this evening from a several days visit in Kansas City.

Omer Strong of Pickering, was in the city today on a business trip.

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BIG BATTLE IN EAST PRUSSIA

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Along Curve of 150 Miles.

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Kaiser's Troops Have Advantage Over
Enemy. Owing to Network of Rail
ways—Motor Cars Also Great Help
Vienna Admits Austrians Flee.

WAR SUMMARY

Russia has driven the Austrians out of the towns of Tarnow, Jaslo and Krosno, in Galicia, and the Austrians probably now are retreating to ward the Carpathian mountains.

On the western battle front the allies are said to have retaken Dixmude from the Germans. This report is unofficial and has not been confirmed by either Paris or London. Fighting in the vicinity of Dixmude and also around Ypres continues to be extremely violent, although it has slackened somewhat, as compared with previous days.

That big engagements already are in progress or are about to begin in the east all the way from the north eastern part of Prussia to the eastern point of Galicia seems evident from the dispersion of the German troops. Some battles already have taken place in the northeast, where the Germans are making preparations to contest vigorously any Russian attempt to gain a foothold in eastern Prussia.

The Austrians say they have cleared their territory of their Serbian enemy.

A Turkish report, coming by way of Berlin, says that Russians are retreating all along the entire battle front, hard pressed by the Turks on all sides.

London, Nov. 14.—While the battle in West Flanders continues to hold public attention because of the desperate character of the fighting, the numbers of men engaged and the territory at stake, military men now look upon East Prussia as the center of gravity of the war.

In the latter field of operations, a tremendous battle is developing. The Russians are pursuing vigorously a great enveloping movement. They are engaged with the Germans along a wide curve of 150 miles from Stalin pomen, in the northeast, through Gollap and Kruglanken, which is well within the tangle of lakes, down to Soldau in the southwest.

Germans Check Retreat.

Military observers say the Germans apparently have checked the retreat in Poland and by counter attacks are endeavoring to create a diversion. They say, however, that the Russians are not to be turned from their plan which is believed to be an attack on Danzig. They argue that the Germans must either allow East Prussia to be overrun a second time or bring up reinforcements and that they can hardly weaken their army along the Polish frontier for that would leave Posen and Silesia open to invasion. The allies, naturally, are hoping an effort will be made to relieve East Prussia at a sacrifice to the German armies in Belgium and France.

Teutons Have Advantage.

In any fighting in their own country the Germans will have the advantage over the Russians, as they have a network of strategic railways to move their troops quickly, and they use motors to a larger extent than their opponents. Military men are watching operations in this region with deepest interest.

In West Flanders the Germans do not seem to have improved their position to any marked extent. In fact, an unofficial report from the north of France says they have again lost Dixmude, which they took last Tuesday; that their attempts to break down the British resistance around Ypres have failed, and that their attack in the vicinity of La Bassée has met with no greater success.

Capture of Prisoners.

The German official report again says the German attacks are progressing and records the capture of some prisoners. On the other hand, the French official communication declares that all German attacks have been repulsed, and that an advance has been made by the allies nearly everywhere.

Vienna admits the Austrians have evacuated eastern Galicia, but as an offset to this says the Servians' resistance has been broken and the Austrians have crossed the Danube, driving the Servians back into their own country.

Part of North Sea Free From Mines.

Berlin, Nov. 14.—The German admiralty has declared that the northern portion of the North sea is free from mines. Consequently the sailing of neutral ships along this route is not attended by danger. There is danger, however, for vessels sailing through the southern portion of the North sea.

Warship Sighted Off Colon.

Panama, Nov. 14.—A warship, believed to be the British cruiser Suffolk, has been sighted twenty-five miles off Colon. It was steaming with lights out. Its destination was not ascertained.

HUGH L. SCOTT.

Brigadier General Who
May Become Head of U. S.
Army; Wotherspoon Retires.



FUNSTON AND SCOTT TO BE PROMOTED

Latter Named Chief of Staff by
President Wilson.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Brigadier General Hugh Scott was selected by President Wilson to be chief of staff of the United States army upon the retirement next Monday of Major General Wotherspoon.

The vacancy of major general created by General Wotherspoon's retirement will be filled by the nomination of Brigadier General Frederick F. Funston, now in command at Vera Cruz.

Brigadier General Tasker H. Bliss will become chief of the mobile army division and upon the retirement of Major General Murray on April 29, 1915, General Scott will be appointed a major general.

CAN SHIP STOCK TO CHICAGO

Consignments Can Enter Yards at Mid-
night Sunday.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—An order lifting the embargo on live stock shipments to Chicago was issued by the state board of live stock commissioners. Railroads were notified they could accept shipments to be delivered in Chicago on Sunday at midnight, when the Union Stock Yards, under quarantine because of the foot and mouth disease, will be reopened. All shippers must file with the transportation company an affidavit that the stock shipped is not affected with and has not been exposed to the malady.

The new instructions of the bureau of animal industry that only the affected animals of a herd should be killed continued to bring protests from persons prominent in nearly every branch of the industry.

BIG GROWTH IN U. S. SEEN

Enormous Progress of Nation In Last
Half Century.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Enormous growth of the United States during the last half century was shown in a report issued by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce.

After pointing out that since 1850 the population of the country has more than quadrupled, being now more than 100,000,000, the report says:

"In the same period, however, foreign commerce has grown from \$318,000,000 to \$4,259,000,000 and the per capita value of exports from \$16.96 to \$23.27.

"National wealth has increased from \$7,000,000,000 in 1870 to \$149,000,000,000, and money in circulation from \$279,000,000 to \$3,419,000,000."

Breese Quits as Head of Wichita Club.

Wichita, Kan., Nov. 14.—D. E. Breese, who has been president of the Wichita Western League Baseball club for a year, submitted his resignation to the club directors, to take effect Nov. 30.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago
Board of Trade.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—Closing prices:
Wheat—Dec., \$1.14½; May, \$1.21½.
Corn—Dec., 68½c; May, 71½c.
Oats—Dec., 49½c; May, 53½c.
Pork—Jan., \$19.20; May, \$19.65.
Lard—Jan., \$10.47½; May, \$10.62½.
Ribs—Jan., \$10.25; May, \$10.57½.
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$1.13½@1.15½; No. 2 yellow corn, 75@76½c; No. 3 oats, 47½@48½c.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Nov. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500; 25@75c lower for the week; beef steers, \$6.75@10.50; cows and heifers, \$5.25@7.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.80@7.85; bulls, \$4.75@6.75. Hogs—Receipts, 8,500; 5@10c higher; bulk of sales, \$7.50@7.65; top, \$7.70. Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; 10@15c higher; lambs, \$6.25@9.40; wethers, \$4.30@6.75; ewes, \$3.75@6.

Lunar Rainbows.

Lunar rainbows are seldom observed in the temperate zone. Very likely the physical phenomenon occurs frequently, but is invisible because of the faintness of the moon's light. In the tropics, where moonlight is more intense, says the Scientific American, lunar rainbows are more frequently observed. They are by no means rare at Reunion island. At all places the phenomenon is most frequently seen at full moon when the moon's light is highest, but it has been seen in various phases of the moon. It was first observed by Aristotle. A lunar rainbow is produced at full moon by the spray of the great Victoria falls of the Yguassu, in Brazil.

A Test of Nerve.

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